

PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>		<i>Complete if Known</i>	
Substitute for form 1449 A & B/PTO		Application Number	10/599,078
		Confirmation Number	3827
		Filing Date	September 19, 2006
		First Named Inventor	Hugo DE WINTER et al
		Art Unit	3635
		Examiner Name	NOT YET KNOWN
Sheet	1	of	1
		Attorney Docket Number	O-97200

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document
		Number		
	US 6,709,614	B1	03-23-2004	Bernhard KREYE
	US 4,915,395		04-10-1990	Werner W. BARTECK
	US 2003/0180498	A1	09-25-2003	Hugo DE WINTER et al
	US 5,662,996		09-02-1997	Lucien JOUROUIN et al

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city, and/or country where published.	Translation ⁶

Examiner Signature /Edmund Lee/ Date Considered 03/09/2011

***EXAMINER:** Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov, MPEP 901.04 or the Comment box of this document. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST. 3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated in the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is indicate here if English language. Translation is

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH /E/